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Response Under 37 CFR §1.116  
Expedited Procedure - Group 2882

PATENT APPLICATION

2-25-03

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: C. Kao
ICHIRO OKUMURA, et al.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2882
Application No.: 09/588,549	)	
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Filed: June 7, 2000	)	
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For: OPTICAL ENCODER	)	February 3, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box AF  
Washington, D.C. 20231

LETTER TRANSMITTING FORMAL DRAWINGS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are nine sheets of formal drawings to be substituted for the corresponding drawing sheets presently on file in the above-identified application.

The substitute drawing sheets include the changes requested in the Request For Approval of Drawing Changes dated February 19, 2002, which have been approved by the Examiner in paper no. 12, mail-dated November 1, 2002.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on

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Signature

Date of Signature

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,  
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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